

# The 21<sup>st</sup> Century Communities Transportation Assessment

The questions included in this assessment are designed to help you look more closely at issues regarding telecommunications in your community as you enter the 21<sup>st</sup> Century. We encourage you to visit Project Rosie where you can access additional information regarding telecommunications.

If you have questions about telecommunications which are not answered here or recommendations for this assessment, feel free to contact us by email at [emeyer@dced.state.ut.us](mailto:emeyer@dced.state.ut.us).

<p><b><u>Name of Community</u></b></p>  <p><b><u>Located In</u></b></p> <p>_____</p> <p>Association of Governments</p>	<p><b><u>Local Contact Person</u></b></p>  <p><b><u>Telephone Number</u></b></p>	<p><b><u>FAX Number</u></b></p>  <p><b><u>E-mail Address</u></b></p>
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**Part 1: A 21st Century Community has and maintains a transportation master plan.**

Question	Performance: Rate Yourself 1 - 5 (low to high)	Importance: Rate Yourself 1 - 5 (low to high)	_ to include in 21 <sup>st</sup> Plan
Does your community have a transportation master plan? Has the plan been developed in coordination with the AOG/MPO and adjacent communities?			
Does your community regularly review and update its transportation master plan?			
Does your plan include all modes of transportation in accordance with standard transportation planning practice?			
Does your community have a hierarchy of streets?			

**Part 2: A 21st Century Community works with local, state, and federal transportation agencies and understands the transportation funding sources available to it.**

Question	Performance: Rate Yourself 1 - 5 (low to high)	Importance: Rate Yourself 1-5 (low to high)	_ to include in 21 <sup>st</sup> Plan
Does your community have regular contact with the Transportation experts in AOG/MPO, Association of Counties, <u>UTLC</u> , Utah Department of Transportation, State Legislature, and Federal Highway Administration?			
Does your community have transportation policies that relate to Transportation Impact Fees, community development block grants, special improvement districts, RDA's, Main Street program and van pooling?			
Does your community understand and participate in the TIPS/STIP development process?			
Does your community know of Utah and federal public specialized transit funding and training resources for services to the general public, the elderly, or disabled persons?			

**Part 3: A 21st Century Community has adopted ordinances and standards for engineering on roads and bridges.**

Question	Performance: Rate Yourself 1 - 5 (low to high)	Importance: Rate Yourself 1 - 5 (low to high)	_ to include in 21 <sup>st</sup> Plan
Has your community adopted ordinances sufficient to control the transportation needs of the community?			
Has your community officially adopted the use of the "Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices", in making traffic control decisions?			
Has your community considered state of the practice traffic system management strategies? <i>(Additional information: Design Standards, Construction, NEPA/Environmental, Materials, Paving, Engineering, Federal Title 23 Requirements, UDOT Requirements)</i>			

**Part 4: A 21st Century Community appropriately constructs and maintains its transportation system infrastructure.**

Question	Performance: Rate Yourself 1 - 5 (low to high)	Importance: Rate Yourself 1 - 5 (low to high)	_ to include in 21 <sup>st</sup> Plan
Does your community have a Capitol Improvement Program and a roadway maintenance master plan?			
Does your community adequately budget for road maintenance?			
Does your community regularly inventory or test the condition of its roadway elements to determine type and prioritization of road maintenance and improvements?			
Are you aware of construction issues regarding contract administration, standard techniques, and quality assurance?			

**Part 5: A 21st Century Community knows the transportation professionals, services, and training, available to its community.**

Question	Performance: Rate Yourself 1 - 5 (low to high)	Importance: Rate Yourself 1 - 5 (low to high)	_ to include in 21 <sup>st</sup> Plan
Does your community know the government, private consulting, and other transportation planners and engineers serving its area?			
Do you know how to hire a consultant?			
Are you aware of services and training opportunities for staff and elected/appointed officials at the T2 Center, NHI, TTAP, and ULCT, ASCE, UAC, APWA, ITE, and APA?			

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